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SUCH PEPTIDES

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action dated April 18, 2001 in this application. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

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